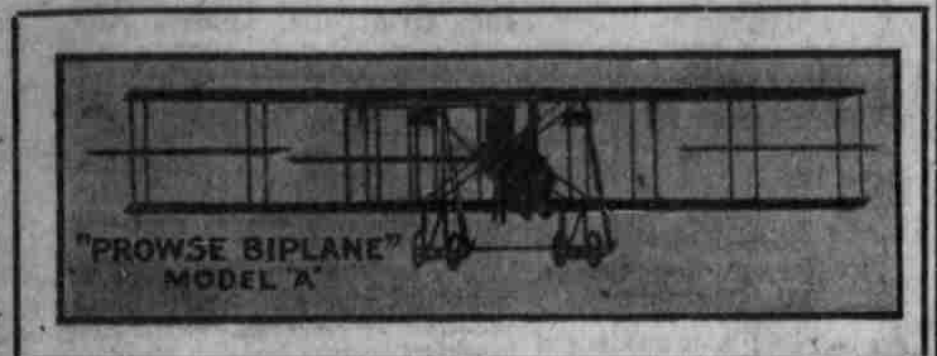


## ALL EYES TO BE TURNED NEXT WEEK ON HOPKINSVILLE

Arranged by the Citizens in Celebration of the Success Attained by the Biplane Inventions of Former County Judge Charles O. Prowse - Kitty League Baseball.



There will be happy days in Hopkinsville, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, July 25, 26 and 27. The citizens of the best of all towns will give an absolutely free aviation meet, to which everybody is invited to celebrate the completion and successful achievements of the two great biplanes built by Judge Charles O. Prowse.

At least three flights each afternoon will be made by DeLloyd Thompson, an intrepid young birdman and licensed operator of Chicago, who for the last two weeks, has had Hopkinsville thrilled with excitement by soaring daily thousands of feet in the sky and for many miles around in the country. In some of

his flights he has carried a passenger. Judge Prowse has one machine for fancy exhibitions and another for passenger purpose.

There will be no charge for admission to the Aviation Field, the entire expense, heavy as it is, being borne by Hopkinsville people to entertain the people of this region and as a testimonial of the regard and pride they feel in Kentucky's only airship inventor.

There will be Kitty League baseball games each day of the meet.

Application has been made for reduced rates, and it is expected that a large number of people from adjoining towns will come to Hopkinsville and enjoy the gala event.

### U. S. LED

#### In The Olympic Games at Stockholm, Sweden.

The Olympic Games at Stockholm closed with a state banquet at the palace.

The standing of the various teams in all the events of the Olympics is as follows:

United States, 128; Sweden, 104; Great Britain, 66; Finland, 46; Germany, 34; France, 23; South Africa, 16; Denmark, 14; Italy, 13; Canada, 13; Australia, 13; Belgium, 11; Norway, 10; Hungary, 8; Russia, 5; Greece, 4; Austria, 4; Holland, 2.

In the track and field events, the final standing is:

United States, 85; Finland, 27; Sweden, 24; Great Britain, 14; Canada, 7; South Africa, 5; France, 4; Germany, 4; Greece, 4; Norway, 2; Hungary, 1; Italy, 1.

### Around New Buildings.

Excavation for the new moving picture show building on Ninth street is being rapidly pushed and the work of putting in the foundation will begin in a few days.

The door and window frames are being put in position on the second story of McLean College.

The completion of the High School building for the opening of the fall term will require a great deal of work, but the contractors, realizing this, are moving right along and there is no fear that the pupils will be disappointed.

The terrazzo work at the new Elks home will soon be completed, the painters are nearing the end of their part of the work and the workmen think that everything will be "done to a finish," and the handsome structure ready for occupancy in about two weeks, three weeks anyway.

Messrs. A. D. Noe & Son, proprietors of Hotel Latham, are receiving bids for the erection of a building adjoining the Hotel, on the west side, to be used as a kitchen. They are also inviting bids to convert the present dining room into guest rooms. The new dining room, to be located on the first floor, will be a beauty. Bids are also invite for this work.

### Marathon Runner Died.

The only Portuguese runner in Sunday's historic Marathon race at Stockholm, F. Lazaro, died in the hospital Monday morning. He suffered from sunstroke during the race and fell at Sifferdal on the return journey, after running nineteen miles.

## LOT SALE BIG SUCCESS.

Large Crowd Present And Bidding Was Spirited All The Time.

SALES AGGREGATED \$5,300.

Ten Dollar Gold Piece Was Divided Between Two Persons.

The fifty building lots in Knight's addition were sold Thursday afternoon at figures surprising to almost everybody present, the total sales aggregating \$5,300.

The first two lots sold brought \$495 and \$455 and were bought by Frank Rives. They front on 21st street and these are the only lots in the addition that front on 21st street.

Half a dozen other lots fronting on the extension of Clay street, which has not been macadamized nor has any side walks, were then put up and brought \$180, \$182.50, \$177.50, \$205, \$220, \$200 each. Five other lots sold at prices ranging from \$182.50 to \$195.

After the sale the adding machine said that \$5,300 worth of property had been disposed of. Mr. Knight had advertised that the person who guessed, before the sale was begun, the nearest to the amount of the aggregated sales would be given ten dollars in gold. When the total amount was announced T. J. Tate announced that his guess was \$5,300, but his hopes of getting hold of \$10 to be converted into pocket change were immediately clouded by the guess of Mrs. G. O. Howard, whose estimate was the same as Mr. Tate's. Mrs. G. O. Howard's home is in Henderson and she is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. R. Brumfield, near the city.

The sale of building lots Thursday is uncontrovertible proof of the advance of real estate growing out of the general prosperity of both the city and county. Less than a year ago the entire property sold Thursday could have been bought for \$3,500, but the prospective purchaser, for some reason, declined to invest. Yesterday he was figuring out what he had lost by the transposition of the same figures—just a little \$1,800, that was all, to say nothing of his idle money up to the day of sale.

It rained "to beat the band" just as the musicians reached the grounds and the crowd made a break for protection. The band kept together themselves and held the crowd until the rain was over, when Gettie Moore, the auctioneer from Springfield, Tenn., called the people together and began selling. From the crying of the first lot to the sale of the last one bidding was more than spirited, it was intensely competitive.

### Nichols-Steele.

Mr. John Nichols and Miss Hattie Belle Steele, of Georgetown, were married Wednesday night at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Warren in Lexington. Rev. Charles Lee Reynolds, of the Second Presbyterian church officiating.

Mr. Nichols is a son of Mr. John Nichols, of the Burley Tobacco Society, and is assistant cashier of the Farmers' Bank of Georgetown. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Roberta Steele, of the Good Samaritan Hospital staff in this city, and since coming to Georgetown from Hopkinsville two years ago has been one of the most popular girls there.—Lexington Leader.

### Ice Cream Supper.

The Improvement League of Piesah school, Sinking Fork, will give an ice cream supper Saturday night, July 27.

## MORE NEW CORPORATIONS

Prowse Aeroplane Company Will Manufacture Airships in Hopkinsville.

THE PENNYROYAL BUILDING

Name Selected For the New Four Story Office Building.

The Prowse Aeroplane Company has filed articles of incorporation. The capital stock is \$25,000 and the company will begin business July 22 and continue for a period of two hundred years unless sooner dissolved according to law. The principal office and place of business is to be in Christian county and the nature of the business to be conducted is that of promoting and operating a general aeroplane, or flying machine business, including especially the manufacture, operation, improvement and exhibition of flying machines and doing all things consistent with a general aerial navigation business.

Following is a list of the stockholders: C. O. Prowse, Lee Ellis, G. E. Kolb, R. E. Cooper, George Boddie, Archie Higgins, L. E. Fowler, Sam Frankel and T. W. Blakey.

### Pennyroyal Building.

Articles of incorporation of the Pennyroyal Company were filed yesterday. The capital stock is \$40,000, divided into 400 shares. The stockholders are T. J. McReynolds, M. C. Forbes, E. C. Radford, Odie Davis, C. O. Wright, J. C. Johnson and R. E. Cooper. This organization is for the purpose of doing a general real estate business. These gentlemen are the owners of the new four-story office building to be called the "Pennyroyal."

### PURELY PERSONAL.

Mrs. J. W. Downer returned from Richmond, Va., Tuesday night.

The Atlanta Journal of a recent date contained the following:

"Mrs. W. B. Smith will give a matinee party Monday afternoon in honor of Miss Vera Randall and Miss Una Hunter, of Kentucky, who are visiting Mrs. J. W. Longwell."

Tuesday Mrs. Calvin Shelverton will give a luncheon in honor of Mr. Longwell's guests.

Mrs. J. W. Longwell entertained at a "42" party Friday evening in honor of her guests, Miss Vera Randall and Miss Una Hunter, of Kentucky. Miss Randle is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Randle, and Miss Hunter, of Guthrie, is a niece of Mr. Randle."

Misses Lurina and Sophia Reeder, after an extended visit to the Misses Biddle, at Warrensburg, Mo., returned home the first of this week.

Mrs. J. W. Adams is in Diron, Montana, visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bea Webb.

Rev. C. H. H. Branch and little son are in Baltimore, visiting Mr. Branch's parents.

Durrett Moore is in the East on business.

Misses Carlotta Gregory and Ruth Oldham are in Lewiston, Mo., visiting relatives.

Mrs. Upshaw Wooldridge is visiting friends in Asheville, N. C.

Mrs. James Thacker, of Lebanon, Tenn., who had been visiting her brothers, T. J. and J. P. Tate, will return home today.

Mrs. Evelyn Brown, who had been visiting in Chicago, returned home this week.

Mrs. Dudley Tichenor and little son, of Paducah are visiting Mrs. Tichenor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Roper.

## ROY A. FIELD NEW MANAGER

Of The Kentucky Public Service Company In The City.

A HUSTLER FROM ROME N. Y.

Has Made a Big Success In a Business Career of Eleven Years.



ROY A. FIELD.

Mr. Roy A. Field, the new Superintendent of the Kentucky Public Service Co., is in the city, making his first visit to Hopkinsville and will locate here if he can find a suitable dwelling house. Mr. Field is a young man of the finest business qualifications and is one of the best men in the employ of the big syndicate that has acquired the Kentucky plants. From a long article in the Rome Sentinel on his "going away" the following extracts are taken:

Roy A. Field, who for the past eleven years has been connected with the Rome Gas, Electric Light & Power Company, on July 1 will go to Kentucky where he will be general manager of the gas and electric plants in five cities, including Frankfort, the capital of the state. The other cities are Owensboro, Bowling Green, Hopkinsville and Clarksville. The five cities have a combined population of 57,000, 80 per cent. of whom are whites.

These gas and electric plants are owned and operated by the J. G. White & Co. Inc. of New York city, who are large owners of such plants throughout the country and who are also developers and operators of water power plants, owners and operators of street railway systems and are engaged in other similar activities on a very large scale. The J. G. White Company is one of the country's largest concerns in its lines, and it has lately been gathering in from various cities, including some in this vicinity, the most capable men to manage its extensive operations. Its selection of Mr. Field is alike a tribute to its good judgment and to Mr. Field's ability, energy and enthusiasm, which are well recognized by the people of Rome.

When Roy Albright Field came to Rome eleven years ago, he was a young man of 26. He was born in a little town, Brighton, in Livingston county, Michigan, on December 28, 1875, just too late for Christmas, but he always carried with him a large measure of the effulgence which is implied by the name of the place of his birth. He was educated at Lansing, Michigan, which brought to him the ability to cut deeply into things.

In April, 1912, when the company which owns the Rome plant needed its then superintendent, J. C. Sloane, at another plant, Mr. Field was made superintendent of the Rome system, a position which he now will relinquish to go south into a larger and broader field.

During the period of his superin-

tendency the business of the local gas and electrical company has grown greatly. His activity and pushing energy have been a considerable factor in that growth.

In 1908 Mr. Field married Miss Rena Vawter in Detroit.

On the Kentucky plants of which Mr. Field is to take charge on July 1, \$150,000 is to be spent this year in improvements. Bowling Green is to have an entire new distributing gas system and a practically new gas plant. Frankfort is building a new gas plant. In Bowling Green and Clarksville the White Company supply electricity to but do not own the street railways. New electrical machinery is to be installed at Frankfort and Bowling Green. On this work, as stated, \$150,000 is to be spent this year and more hereafter. Mr. Field's Rome experience has taken him through work of just this sort.

Rome regrets that a young man who, by his own efforts, has done so well here is to leave, but congratulates Mr. Field on the greater field open to him through his association with a business concern of the magnitude of the J. G. White Company. That he will be eminently successful in his new location is the belief of all who know his success here.

### Smith-Meisner Marriage.

Beautiful in all its simplicity was the marriage of Miss Etta Keith Meisner, to Mr. Algine H. Smith. The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning July 17th at Point Au-View, the lovely country home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Meisner, Rev. H. D. Smith, pastor of the 9th St. Christian church, saying the simple service that linked the lives and destiny of these two young people. The parlor was tastefully decorated with palms and potted plants.

Miss Meisner is the only child, and is a grand daughter of the late Colonel Belyin Taylor, of Mason county, and is an accomplished and talented young woman. She is a musician and artist of unusual ability, is a graduate of the Ghibron City, Ill., Interstate school, and of the Western Conservatory of Chicago, and the Chicago University. She is admired by a host of friends for her sweet disposition and graciousness of manner. Mr. Smith is a prominent banker, and is a member of the Bankers' Association of Birmingham, Ala. He is a Southern gentleman of the highest and purest type, and an intellectual and social favorite. The bride was dressed in an elegant Roman embroidered Marquise. Her going away suit was a handsome cloth coat suit, with lovely Panama hat. The groom wore the conventional morning suit. The happy couple left on the 9:52 a. m. train for Denver, Col., and the Rocky Mountains, and points of interest West. They will return by way of Chicago and spend several days on the Lakes, returning to Hopkinsville for a few days and will leave for Pell City, Ala. for a short visit with friends, going to house-keeping about the 15th of August in a handsomely furnished home which the groom has in readiness for them. A host of friends join in congratulations.

### Allen-Leneave.

Mr. Leslie Allen and Miss Macie Laneave, of Trigg county, were married at the court house Wednesday morning by Squire J. M. Jarrell. They came over to escape the parental objections urged to their union.—Clarksville Leaf-Chronicle.

### Turkish Christians.

Rev. Simon Antonio and Rev. Elias George, ministers of the Christian Assyrian Church at Nineva, Kurdistan, in Asiatic Turkey, are in the city soliciting aid for their charities.

### Lost First Prize.

Hopkinsville lost the first prize at the W. O. W. drill at Madisonville last Wednesday because they were one squad short. Will Williamson was in command and his men made a fine showing. A dispatch says 10,000 people passed through the gates on that day.